

## THE GULDENSUPPE MURDER

## THE TRIAL OF THORN FOR THIS CRIME BEGUN.

His Case Taken Up Before That of Mrs. Nack, Indicted With Him, as the Strongest for the Prosecution—The Jury Secured in Short Order—Regular Trial to Begin Today—An Immense Crowd Present—The Defendant the Most Unconcerned of Them All

New York, November 8.—The first day of the trial of Martin Thorn for the murder of William Guldensuppe, a bath rubber, was entirely taken up in securing a jury, and much to the surprise of all those interested, the efforts of the lawyers for the prosecution and the defense were well rewarded, as twelve "good men and true" had been sworn to try the case when the hour for adjournment was reached. The trial began shortly after 9:30 o'clock this morning in the Queens county court house, Long Island City, before Judge Wilmont M. Smith, who is presiding at the unfinished October term of the criminal branch of the supreme court of Queens county. District Attorney W. J. Youngs, assisted by A. N. Weller and Assistant District Attorney Geo. W. Davidson appeared for the prosecution, and lawyers William F. Howe and Joseph Moss, of the firm of Howe & Hummel, had charge of the defense of Thorn to which they had been assigned by the authorities of New York and Queens county.

Although Thorn was jointly indicted with Mrs. Augusta Nack for the murder, it was decided to try them separately, and District Attorney Youngs made up his mind to try Thorn first, as the circumstantial evidence on which the people depended for a conviction was stronger against the man than the woman.

In case the prosecution fails to convict Thorn it is not unlikely that Mrs. Nack may never be brought to trial. At an early hour this morning the court house on Jackson avenue, in the rear of which is the county jail, was besieged with people anxious to gain admission to the court room. This room at the utmost could hardly accommodate 300 people comfortable, but long before 9 o'clock every seat and available point of vantage were occupied. The main body of the court house within the enclosure was reserved for the lawyers in the case. The side galleries were also filled with an anxious crowd.

One of the most prominent on-lookers was Marie Bardier, the Italian girl, who after being sentenced to death for the murder of her lover, was acquitted on a second trial. The young woman was married a few days ago, and today her husband sat beside her, and both of them evinced a very keen interest in everything that took place.

District Attorney Youngs did not expect to fill the jury box before Wednesday, but both the lawyers for the defense worked hard and earnestly, without quibbling or wasting a moment, and both sides were satisfied to-night that they had procured an intelligent and trustworthy jury. Throughout the day Thorn was very cool and at times looked to be the most unconcerned person in the court.

Tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock the trial proper will be begun and District Attorney Youngs will briefly present the case. The lawyers think that all the evidence will not be in for at least two weeks.

## Latest News From Cuba

Havana, November 9.—An official dispatch from Alfonso XIII, province of Matanzas, announces the surrender there to the Spanish authorities of an insurgent force consisting of three officers and fifteen privates, who delivered up thirty carbines. The insurgent officers who have surrendered are Colonel Evaristo Leon, Major Guadalupe Herrera and Captain Carlos Cephero. It is semi-officially announced that General Maximiliano Gomez has been attempting to concentrate the insurgent forces near Remedios, the principal northern port of the province of Santa Clara, and it is added that he was engaged by a Spanish force, with the result that the insurgents left nine men killed on the field.

Captain General Blanco has issued a circular to the Spanish military commanders in the different provinces of Cuba instructing them to favor the owners of sugar estates by all means in their power and to encourage those who may be less disposed than others to grind their cane. The circular is couched in such a way as to leave no doubt that sugar cane grinding should proceed on a large scale.

## Suffered 20 Years.



Mrs. MARY LEWIS, wife of a prominent farmer and well known by all old residents near Belmont, N. Y., writes: "For twenty-seven years I had been a constant sufferer from nervous prostration, and paid large sums of money for doctors and advertised remedies without benefit. Three years ago my condition was alarming; the least noise would startle and unnerve me. I was unable to sleep, had a number of sinking spells and slowly grew worse. I began using Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve and Liver Pills. At first the medicine seemed to have no effect, but after taking a few bottles I began to notice a change; I rested better at night, my appetite began to improve and I rapidly grew better, until now I am as nearly restored to health as one of my age may expect. God bless Dr. Miles' Nerve."

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## THE CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW

The Magnificent Exhibition of Pretty Flowers Begins at the Y. M. C. A. Parlor To-night—A Fine Musical Programme Each Night Without Extra Charge

The chrysanthemum show which has been arranged under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity to provide a Thanksgiving benefit for the orphans at the Oxford Orphan asylum, will be held to-night and tomorrow night at the parlors of the Young Men's Christian Association building. Quite a number of flowers were received yesterday and placed in position. The home exhibits will be sent in today, and the management is in a position to say that the show will be the rarest sight ever beheld in Wilmington.

To-night at 7 o'clock the judges will meet and award the prizes, and the doors will be thrown open to the public. The price of admission will be 15 cents. Each night a fine programme of vocal and instrumental music will be provided under the direction of Mrs. W. H. Shaw. This part of the entertainment will take place in the auditorium and for it there will be no extra charge.

To-night the programme will be an allegorical piece entitled "The Building of the Temple." The parts will be acted and sung by numerous young ladies and gentlemen, and it will give rare pleasure to all who go.

Tomorrow night there will be a delightful programme of vocal and instrumental music. Among the singers will be Miss Kenan, Miss Payne, and Miss Nellie Calder, and there will be a recitation by Miss Hattie Taylor.

No one should miss this entertainment.

## Georgia Insane Asylum Burned

Milledgeville, Ga., November 9.—The negro section of the Georgia insane asylum was burned today. There were within the walls at the time the fire broke out, inmates and all, over 700 persons, but no lives were lost.

The group of buildings constituting this institution covered about four acres. The fire started in the attic above one of the wards, on the east side and was discovered by Dr. Oetam, who was attending one of the patients. The fire walls of the building did not extend to the roof and, as a consequence, the fire traveled under the roof and dropped sparks below. The tiers being divided by solid brick walls the progress of the flames was slow, but steady, about ten hours elapsing before it was checked. Portions of the section were saved, but the major part was gutted. The asylum water service was excellent and was reinforced by engines from the fire department of Macon, thirty miles away, which were brought here on a special train. Dr. Powell, superintendent of the asylum, estimates the loss at about \$100,000, including buildings and furniture, upon which there is insurance of 50 per cent. There is room enough in the other buildings to temporarily care for those who were dislodged by the fire. The legislature of Georgia is now in session and prompt relief will be granted the asylum.

## A Sensation in Atlanta Business Circles

Atlanta, Ga., November 9.—Patrolman J. T. Ponder was killed here last night while he was shadowing a supposed burglar who had entered the wholesale whiskey house of L. Steinau. The officer saw the man enter the building and he followed him. When the officer struck a match to light his way, he was fired upon five times by an assassin and died in a few minutes.

Early yesterday morning the business of Steinau was placed in the hands of a receiver and Officer Ponder knew the house had been closed by the sheriff when he saw the man enter the building. The police intimate that some member of the firm, endeavoring to secure money from the vault, entered and finding himself discovered, killed the only eye witness, who was Officer Ponder. Steinau was immediately placed under arrest. Other members of the firm are under arrest and the investigation has created a tremendous sensation in the city.

When the receiver left the building in the afternoon he locked the vault and turned the combination. After the assassination, the vault was found unlocked and a bunch of keys were picked up near the vault.

## Mrs. Nack Makes Full Confession

New York, November 9.—The Herald tomorrow will say: Emanuel Friend, counsel for Mrs. Augusta Nack, was at the Harlem opera house last night. It was noticed when he came into the lobby that he appeared nervous and excited. His extreme nervousness caused some comment and he remarked casually that he had just come from a long interview with his client, Mrs. Nack. He sat half the play through and on coming out, said: "Mrs. Nack has confessed. That is all I can say. She has confessed and will go on the stand tomorrow against Thorn. I cannot talk about the matter any further. I have made a solemn promise of secrecy. There is no use of trying to see me later. There is no use trying to see any one else. Even Mr. Howe does not know. The few others who do know are pledged to secrecy, as I am. I shall go home, disconnect my telephone and refuse to see any one or answer any questions. Mrs. Nack has made a full confession. That is all I can say."

## The Dry Goods Market

New York, November 9.—The dry goods market shows no sign of strength over the record of yesterday and last week. Further reductions in the price of print goods have been made. Report comes from Fall River that the manufacturers have all but decided upon a reduction in wages. The market for staple cotton continues dull. In coarse colored cottons there is also a weakening in the market, with an exceedingly light demand recorded. Print cloths are still quoted at 2 1/2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-832-833-834-835-836-837-838-839-840-841-842-843-844-845-846-847-848-849-850-851-852-853-854-855-856-857-858-859-860-861-862-863-864-865-866-867-868-869-870-871-872-873-874-875-876-877-878-879-880-881-882-883-884-885-886-887-888-889-890-891-892-893-894-895-896-897-898-899-900-901-902-903-904-905-906-907-908-909-910-911-912-913-914-915-916-917-918-919-920-921-922-923-924-925-926-927-928-929-930-931-932-933-934-935-936-937-938-939-940-941-942-943-944-945-946-947-948-949-950-951-952-953-954-955-956-957-958-959-960-961-962-963-964-965-966-967-968-969-970-971-972-973-974-975-976-977-978-979-980-981-982-983-984-985-986-987-988-989-990-991-992-993-994-995-996-997-998-999-1000-1001-1002-1003-1004-1005-1006-1007-1008-1009-1010-1011-1012-1013-1014-1015-1016-1017-1018-1019-1020-1021-1022-1023-1024-1025-1026-1027-1028-1029-1030-1031-1032-1033-1034-1035-1036-1037-1038-1039-1040-1041-1042-1043-1044-1045-1046-1047-1048-1049-1050-1051-1052-1053-1054-1055-1056-1057-1058-1059-1060-1061-1062-1063-1064-1065-1066-1067-1068-1069-1070-1071-1072-1073-1074-1075-1076-1077-1078-1079-1080-1081-1082-1083-1084-1085-1086-1087-1088-1089-1090-1091-1092-1093-1094-1095-1096-1097-1098-1099-1100-1101-1102-1103-1104-1105-1106-1107-1108-1109-1110-1111-1112-1113-1114-1115-1116-1117-1118-1119-1120-1121-1122-1123-1124-1125-1126-1127-1128-1129-1130-1131-1132-1133-1134-1135-1136-1137-1138-1139-1140-1141-1142-1143-1144-1145-1146-1147-1148-1149-1150-1151-1152-1153-1154-1155-1156-1157-1158-1159-1160-1161-1162-1163-1164-1165-1166-1167-1168-1169-1170-1171-1172-1173-1174-1175-1176-1177-1178-1179-1180-1181-1182-1183-1184-1185-1186-1187-1188-1189-1190-1191-1192-1193-1194-1195-1196-1197-1198-1199-1200-1201-1202-1203-1204-1205-1206-1207-1208-1209-1210-1211-1212-1213-1214-1215-1216-1217-1218-1219-1220-1221-12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